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(Matthew 7:13) is commonly thought to support Augustine's doctrine of Eternal Conscious Torment. In reality however, the Bible teaches just the opposite, this informative DVD Scripturally reveals that God's destruction is always a prelude to and for the purpose of restoration. It is even prophesied by the prophet Ezekiel

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Every valley shall be filled, and every mountain and hill shall be brought low; and the crooked shall be made straight, and the rough ways shall be made smooth... And all flesh shall see the salvation of God. —Luke 3:5-6

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(Psalms 91:3-5, 8-11)

Surely He shall deliver you...His truth shall be your shield and buckler... You shall not be afraid ...Only with your eyes shall you look, And see the reward of the wicked (unrepentant)... Because you have made the Lord... Even the Most High, your dwelling place ... No evil shall befall you, Nor shall any plague come near your dwelling... For He shall give His angels charge over you, To keep you in all your ways.

*All Scripture is from the KJV or NKJV unless otherwise specified—all numbers and definitions are from the Strong's Concordance and the Complete Word Studies Dictionary (CWSD).

am sure that most of you are aware of the world wide epidemic of the coronavirus that that is spreading rapidly and leaving thousands upon thousands of people dead in it's wake! Just how many have really died up to this point, no one actually knows for sure. Many countries are not reporting true death



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Toll figures, for a lot of self-serving reasons, especially China. It was just reported as I write this, by Dave Hodges on his site¹ that San Francisco, has just declared a state of emergency over the **Coronavirus**, even when CDC officials claim there are essentially zero confirmed cases in San Francisco. If you believe that I have some swamp land in Florida you will love! He also reports that over

the last 36 hours or so, the coronavirus has spread, and has now been confirmed in a slew of new countries, including the USA, Germany, Switzerland, Croatia, Iraq, Spain, Algeria and Austria. Cases are already confirmed in Belgium, Lebanon, Finland, Sweden, Egypt, Sri Lanka, Israel, Cambodia, Nepal, Afghanistan, Russia and many other countries. Also an infection is now



suspected in Brazil, which would make it the first South American nation to confirm a coronavirus infection, bringing the virus to a whole new continent.

If you have studied your Bible at all, you know this is just the **beginning** of a lot of horrible things that we are going to see happen in this world! So my question is... **ARE YOU READY?** I mean **REALLY READY!** I personally know many who claim to be Christians and would answer yes to this question! But sadly, they are NOT ready. Many whom I know, are like the majority of professing Christians (who are on the **broad road** leading to destruction), who claim to stand upon God's promises when they are in trouble... such as the wonderful promises stated in the opening text from **(Psalms 91:3-5, 8-11)** on the previous page. However, the very sad truth is, **many will fall** and not be able to stand during these horrible end times, just as the Prophet Daniel foretold:

(Daniel 11:33-35) Those who are <u>wise</u> among the people shall be instructors (teachers) of many; — yet <u>shall they be brought low</u>, for <u>days</u>²... but, when they are brought low, they shall be helped with a little help, — and many, will join themselves unto them, by (with) <u>flatteries</u>... REB³ (parenthesis added for clarity).

The above text is referring to a specific group of people who will <u>FALL</u> or as the above translation puts it, be <u>BROUGHT LOW</u>. This is the Hebrew word OT:3782 *kashal* (kaw-shal'); meaning: <u>to waver</u> (i.e. doubt), and <u>weakness</u> with reference to the legs or ankles (e.g. not being able to stand strong in faith); with a special reference to <u>bereavement</u> (i.e. grief due to the death of loved ones) causing, <u>falling</u> (e.g. falling away or backsliding), <u>failure</u> (i.e. of their faith) and being **overthrown**.

Bereavement, is the grief of losing loved ones, during these horrible times of the disasters mentioned by Daniel, are going to affect the *faith* of many, who face these great trials, especially due to the loss of loved ones. Many will fall for they were not as ready or prepared by having the needed faith, which they thought they possessed.

¹ Dave Hodges <u>https://thecommonsenseshow.com</u>

² <u>DAYS</u> ...this phrase in the Hebrew OT:3117 *yowm* (yome); can also be translated as "in times of trouble."

³**REB** ...Rotherham Emphasis Bible— is an English translation that is among the few Bibles that is

Bereavement is a type of grief that can overwhelm a person's soul (their thoughts, desires and emotions). This will happen if their spirit is not strong in faith because of anxiety or discouragement. When a person's faith is weakened by demonic influence preying upon this intense grief in their soul, that person can be led astray by embracing thoughts, that create carnal desires when being tossed around in this sea of ungodly destructive emotions of grief. When this is the case their human spirit becomes wounded by this overwhelming grief, which then ultimately weakens their faith to the point of being overthrown. When a professing Christian is in this condition, they end up feeling abandoned by God, feeling hopeless, helpless and discouraged. We don't often think of discouragement as sin, but whether it is greed or discouraging grief, both are simply the inability to trust God to be our source.

- (1 Timothy 6:10) ... Some have been led astray from the faith by their greed (or grief), also having themselves <u>pierced through</u> (wounded) with many sorrows. ALT (Alternate Literal Translation-from the Interlinear Bible)
- (Proverbs 18:14) ... a wounded spirit who can bear it?

The Prophet Daniel revealed, those who were **WISE** among (God's) people would be teachers to many, but these wise teachers would FALL, because that fall would involve being seduced by their soulish emotions, with a special reference to bereavement. He went on to reveal that this would lead to their "joining themselves to those with flatteries." You wouldn't think a WISE person would end up falling and have their faith overthrown, but instead they would be strong in faith due to possessing wisdom.

(Daniel 11:33-34) Those who are <u>WISE</u> among the people shall be <u>instructors</u> (teachers) of many; <u>yet they shall fall</u> by the <u>sword</u> and by <u>flame</u>, by <u>captivity</u> and by <u>spoil</u>, many days...Now when they shall fall, they shall be helped with a little help; but many (from this group of the "wise") <u>shall join themselves to them with FLATTERIES</u>. ALT

The word <u>FLATTERIES</u> is the Hebrew word... OT:2519 *chalaqlaqqah* (khal-ak-lak-kaw'); and the CWSD: states this refers to people on <u>treacherous paths</u> <u>following false prophets</u> and it also refers to <u>hated enemies</u>, in a political sense, who seize power by <u>intrigue</u> (deception), <u>flattery</u>, and <u>hypocrisy</u>.

In other words, those who are regarded as WISE... will not have the faith needed to stand, for they will become fearful when faced with troubling times of "sword (i.e. weapons), flame (fires e.g. as we now see), captivity (e.g. Fema camps?) and prey (literally can mean "looters"). Fear will cause them to be enticed into following the paths of false prophets. In other words, they will be overcome by the deception, intrigue and hypocrisy of false religious leaders and political enemies — who are able to seize power over these WISE ones that fall. Again, the reason they fall is because their faith fails them... due to fear. Let's face it... there are going to be many horrible things happening all over the world, in the days ahead. Jesus warned us of this, when He was telling His followers what it was going to be like at the time of His return to earth:

 (Luke 21:25-26) "And there will be signs in the sun, in the moon, and in the stars; and on the earth distress among people, with <u>perplexity</u>,⁴ the sea and the waves roaring (i.e. tsunamis) ... <u>men's hearts failing them from fear</u> and the expectation of those things which are coming on the earth..." ALT

God has His Wise People but So Does Satan

Let's examine the word <u>WISE</u>, which is the Hebrew word OT:7919 *sakal* (saw-kal'). The CWSD: States...The primary meaning of the word is to be <u>prudent</u> or <u>shrewd</u>. The same applies to the Greek word NT:4678 *sophia* (sof-ee'-ah); translated as <u>wise</u> or <u>wisdom</u>. According to my online dictionary *prudent* and *shrewd* are defined as:

PRUDENT ... having more honorable characteristics

- Watchful (cautious and leery)
- clever (intelligent, discerning, talented, skillful)
- Sensible (realistic, responsible, practical)

SHREWD... having more mischievous or malicious characteristics

- cunning (skill in achieving one's ends by deceit or evasion),
- disingenuous (crafty, dishonest, insincere)
- subtle (artful, scheming, clever)

The <u>WISE</u> Daniel is referring to people who are alienated from God, whose faith fails them, and who possess wisdom that is acquired from the world ...

• (1 Corinthians 1:19-21) For it is written -- I will destroy the intelligence of the intellectuals, and the discernment of the shrewd will have no place ...Where is the place for these wise men? Where is the place for the <u>scholars</u>? Where is the place for the <u>philosophers and debaters</u> of this world? Has not indeed God shown these people have a moronic and stupid understanding as those alienated from God? ... For, seeing that, through the wisdom of God, those from the world, being alienated from God, do not get to know God, from their worldly wisdom...ALT

Among Christianity today, there are many apostate Christians who are being viewed as <u>WISE ministers and teachers</u>, teaching multitudes of undiscerning people false doctrines from their "worldly wisdom"... which includes mans philosophies, or opinions written by their favorite Bible scholars commentaries, which are often mere personal or popular religious opinions coming from human reasoning.

God hates the **worlds wisdom** because it comes from the "god of this world" who is Satan. His wisdom blinds people to the truth because it produces pride, causing people to make an idol out of human wisdom and idolize those who possess it. Human worldly wisdom has Satan's evil imprint upon it, such as that of being SHREWED. Shrewdness involves being

⁴ <u>perplexity</u> NT:639 *aporeo* (ap-or-eh'-o); meaning: **loss of mental ability**, CWSD: not knowing how to speak, act, or to determine something, unable to think properly.

cunning, crafty and scheming, has a subtle mischievous or malicious motivations for the use of his wisdom. This worldly wisdom imparts the character of the "god of this world" upon his ministers who are this "angel of light's" ...deceiving false "ministers of righteousness." They prevent and hinder the genuine faith of those who listen to their messages and follow these false and apostate ministers down the road that leads to destruction.



On the other hand, Wisdom that comes from God, is PRUDENT and makes us intelligent, sensible, and able to discern God's truth from Satan's error. Without genuine faith in the truth, God's Wisdom cannot exist in our life. A mixture of worldly wisdom and God's Wisdom is a deadly mixture of confusion, creating doublemindedness.

(1 Corinthians 3:18-21) Do not deceive yourselves. If any one of you thinks he is wise by the standards of this world, he should become a "fool" so that he may become wise... For the wisdom of this world is foolishness in God's sight. As it is written: "He catches the wise in their craftiness" ... and again, "The Lord knows that the thoughts of the wise are futile." ... So then, no more boasting about men (i.e. your favorite minister)! NIV (Parenthesis for emphasis)

Those Who Really KNOW God are Really Ready

The Prophet Daniel, before he talked about the WISE who would "fall" during these troubling end times, first talked about those who were **REALLY READY** — to face great trials, for their faith <u>would endure</u>:

 (Daniel 11:32-33)...but the people <u>who know their God</u> shall <u>be strong</u>, and do <u>exploits</u>... REB

This reveals that the **ONLY** people who will be able to stand <u>strong in faith</u> and trust in God's promises from His Word, are those who really do <u>KNOW THEIR GOD</u>! The WISE mentioned above, do not <u>know their God</u>, if they did they would be receiving God's wisdom, and be strong in faith. I want to look closely at the word **KNOW**, for it is the "<u>key</u>" to genuine faith needed for surviving these end times!

The word **KNOW**... is the Hebrew word OT:3045 *yada*` (yaw-dah'); and the CWSD: says it basically means these "4" things...

1. To know by learning ... Which is defined as: "being taught knowledge, skills or becoming informed. The Holy Spirit must be our teacher if what we learn is to be pure truth. Otherwise, if carnal mindsets, opinions and carnal worldly ways are the basis for what we learn, we won't learn what is necessary to spiritually stand in faith, so we can "endure to the end." Jesus promised that those who do endure to the end will be "saved" (i.e. rescued, be safe). Many professing Christians are always "learning"... but what they learn is not out of a living relationship with God through His Holy Spirit. Therefore, they are deceived by what they learn from carnal people, who are under the influence of and are being taught by the spirit of this world. Those being taught this way are...

- (2 Timothy 3:7) <u>always learning</u>, and <u>never able</u>⁵ to come to the knowledge of the truth. REB
- (Matthew 24:12-13) Because iniquity (lawlessness) will be multiplied, the love of many will grow cold... But <u>he</u> who endures to the end, the same will be saved. REB



2. To know also means to become skillful ...Those who are taught by the Holy Spirit become (supernaturally) skillful, which my online dictionary defines as: trained, polished, talented, gifted, smart, and to be made READY (fully prepared). These are all the supernatural results of learning from God's spirit. I must testify and give God the glory for all that I know, and for all of the skills that I possess, these are truly the result of the dunamis anointing of God's Holy Spirit.

In my carnal human intellect, I have no ability to understand what is needed to become knowledgeable, skillful or talented in areas for which I have no natural inclinations or talents. For instance, when I was a teenager I desired to learn to play the accordion, so I took lessons. It took years and hours of dreaded practice, to be able to play and learn to read music, just to become *somewhat* skilled. Due to the fact that it was not easy nor enjoyable, I gave it up. However, after becoming a Holy Spirit filled believer in Jesus Christ, I was given by God the desire and the supernatural ability to play the Key board, to write songs and even sing those songs, which all of these things are now accomplished with great ease and enjoyment!

I do these things as an act of **worship** (i.e. service for God) and because I am inspired by God to play, write, and sing... It is not because I am naturally talented, or I have been taught how by any person... it is ONLY because I possess knowledge, talents and skills through the power of the Holy Spirit. It is the same for my ability to teach, preach, counsel and to write books and articles... again, only by God's power, anointing, and inspiration. In other words, I have not been naturally taught or trained in these skills, these things are ONLY the result of **knowing Him**.

- (John 14:26) But the Counselor, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, <u>he will teach you</u> all things, and will put in your mind all that I will tell you, command, or ask you. ALT
- (Philippians 4:13) All things become serviceable (i.e. to God) Christ (not in the original Gr. text) through miracle power⁶ in me. ALT
- (1 Corinthians 2:12-14) Now we have received, not the <u>spirit of the world</u>, but the Spirit who is from God, that we might <u>know</u> the things that have been freely given to us by God. .. These things

⁵never <u>able</u> from NT:3368 *medepote* (may-dep'-ot-eh); meaning: <u>never</u> and NT:1410 *dunamai* (doo'-nam-ahee) <u>miraculous power</u> (i.e. God or other gods). deities), meaning there is NO DUNAMAI (supernatural) power or abilities (i.e. doing great exploits in times of trouble).

we also speak, <u>not in words which man's wisdom teaches</u> but which the Holy Spirit teaches, comparing spiritual things with spiritual... But the natural man does not receive the things of the Spirit of God, for they seem stupid to him; <u>nor can heknow them</u>, because they are to be spiritually discerned. ALT



3. To know also means to be given <u>perception</u> and <u>discernment</u> ... Perception is how we <u>understand</u> and <u>interpret</u> what we perceive. Our interpretations and understanding of what we perceive or are <u>aware of</u> (what we SEE), are formed by what we HEAR, or by what we emotionally or physically FEEL, in other words by what we "experience."

However, what we see, hear and feel (experience) does shape our carnal perspectives (opinions or points of view). Therefore, unless we can experience *God's perceptions from His spiritual standpoint*...on everything that we experience, by abiding in (which also means with) Jesus Christ (i.e. who is the anointed word of God). Without abiding with and being hid (influence us with their false or demonic perspectives coming from sorcery. This demonic influence causes us to develop false perceptions (i.e. understanding and interpretations) that lead us away from the truth and into grave deception.

In order for this not to happen we must have discernment from God's Holy Spirit, so we will not **fall** during times that will be very difficult to deal with and very hard to endure. God's supernatural perception and discernment will sustain us, in order to be strong in our faith, through *knowing Him*. Then we are able to *discern God's thoughts*. Wisdom from God teaches us to discern or be aware of, WHERE *our* thoughts are coming from. Are they coming from God through His Word — or from the world — or are we being

influenced by demonic thoughts? The carnal man cannot discern his thoughts.

JESUS

PERCEPTION

Our PERCEPTION

Our PERCEPTION

With God

IF ye abide in (or with) me, and my words (rhema) abides in (or with) you, ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you—

John 15:7

Old Testament Israel was a representation of God's people who are carnal. They as purely carnal people could not discern their thoughts, therefore Satan's influence (which they were not able to discern) and their sin shaped their erroneous carnal perceptions (understanding) and perspectives (points of view). Now we, as New Testament Israel (born again from Abraham's seed i.e. Jesus Christ) ...can discern spiritually what is carnal, demonic or what is of God. But only if we really KNOW HIM by continually abiding with God's Holy Spirit in unbroken communion. Hear what God said to his carnal people of Old Testament Israel...

⁶ Also translated as <u>strength in</u> NT:1743 *endunamoo* (en-doo-nam-o'-o); is a compound word to from NT:1722 meaning "<u>through</u>" & NT:1412 root: NT:14ll *dunamis* (doo'-nam-is) "miracle power."

- (Isaiah 55:8) For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, says the Lord... For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher (i.e. are spiritual not natural) than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts.
- (1 Corinthians 2:16) For "who (i.e. that is carnal) has known the mind of the Lord...(answer: no one) But we (i.e. who are spiritually alive and taught) have the mind of Christ. (Parenthesis for clarity)



The final and a very important definition for the word KNOW is...

4. To know through **RELATIONAL EXPERIENCE** ... The old saying, "experience is the best teacher" is only half true... because it depends on *who* is teaching us and *what* perceptions we are forming and learning, from what we are being taught by our **experiences**. For instance, the word "**sorcery**" in the Hebrew is defined as "**to learn by experience** or **perception** (i.e. what is seen, heard or felt)." Why does the spirit of sorcery work this way? Because God's principle for our having a relationship with a *spirit being*, involves intercourse meaning communication with a spirit (Holy or unholy). God is a spirit and the only way a human can communicate with God, is if our **human spirit** has God's life or light upon it, then our human spirit can experience spirit to spirit **communion** (i.e. communication and fellowship through an exchange of receiving God's thoughts our communicating through words prayer). This spiritual communion, designed by God, results in an intimate **relational experience** with God's Spirit.

Knowing this principle, Satan uses sorcery to counterfeit God's principle of **spiritual relational communion**. Through sorcery his demonic spirits commune with **human souls**, by communicating their demonic thoughts and inspiring the words of false prophets and teachers to speak lies and doubts in order to manipulate the human mind, emotions and will (i.e. the soul). This *soulish communion* draws people into having an illicit relationship through intercourse or communication with demonic spirits, thus, capturing and bringing the souls of humans into bondage, by their accusations, lies and doubts. In turn this creates deceptive demonic perceptions—thoughts and demonic understanding — that forms our perspectives (opinions and views) that go on to teach us demonic lying interpretations, from what we experience. God says this to Satan's lying prophets...

⁵ <u>sorcery</u> (OT:OT5172) nachash (naw-dhash') referring to the red or copper color of a serpents throat when whisper a magic spell, and it also refers to "learning" that comes through observation and "experience" which leads to becoming "resistant and hardened" (i.e. to the truth). I highly recommend reading my *book "ANATOMY FOR DECEPTION Even the Very Elect will be Deceived"* where this subject is dealt with in depth... Request a FREE copy at this link: https://www.extendedlifectm.org/contact-us.html

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(Ezekiel 13:18-19) "...Will you hunt the souls of my **people...** And will you pollute me among my people? (i.e. causing false perceptions of who God is and defiling His reputation)..." (Parenthesis for clarity).

Thus, the only spiritual communication our carnal or human man can have. is with the spiritual realm of darkness. God is a spirit of light and life and can only have communion with human spirits who have His light and life. He cannot commune with human spirits that are in spiritual darkness (i.e. are spiritually dead)

(2 Corinthians 6:14) "...what communion has light with darkness?" (i.e. Answer: NONE). WEB

However, if we are not born again, or if we have died spiritually by willfully sinning, for (Hebrews 10:26) says: "For if we sin willfully after that we have received the knowledge of the truth, there remains no more sacrifice for sins." So, if we live are living in an unrepentant state (are not turning away from known sin), we have quenched the Holy Spirit and have no life or light in our spirit. This means we are separated (spiritually dead) with no communication being exchanged with God having no communion (fellowship or intimate relationship with Him).

In order to have an unbroken relational experience with God, there to be *co-participation* in the relationship. In other words, we MUST experience His communication or His direct personal influence in our spirit (not soul), and God must experience our direct and we do not live by the influence upon Him (His spirit) by our thoughts and prayers also receiving honor by our acts of worship (our acts of service on His behalf).

Demonic spirits do have access to human spirits (conscience and subconscious) that are in darkness, but won't come near a human spirit with God's light and life upon it! Keep in mind when we have communication (i.e. hearing thoughts or receiving "soulish" perceptions by emotional or physical feelings) from a spirit entity and we respond by reacting to or acting upon their soulish influence, our response is an act of worship, which means we are honoring and serving that spiritual deity (knowingly or unknowingly).

The way to have relational experience with God is through hearing His Holy Spirit of truth teach our human spirit as we spend time studying and meditating on the Word of God. How much we hear depends upon how much time we spend studying and searching His word. We cannot experience God by just "reading" and feeding our soul information from the Bible...which of course is not a bad thing, but it is not the best thing. The best thing is HEARING God speak to us from His Word... this is how we grow in faith and truly get to KNOW Him.

(Romans 10:17) So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the (rhema)⁶ word of God.

rhema NT:4487 rhema (hray'-mah); the word God personally communicates to us.

The Prophet Daniel said, those who KNOW their God are those who are REALLY READY (i.e. prepared) to deal with hard times of tribulations and trials, for knowing God has made them **STRONG**... due to having the vital and unbroken relational experience with Him, as was just described by the four definitions for the word KNOW.

• (Daniel 11:32)...but the people who know their God shall be STRONG, and do exploits... REB

The word <u>STRONG</u> describes the *exploits they will do. STRONG* is the Hebrew word, OT:2388 *chazaq* (khaw-zak'); meaning: to be <u>courageous</u> (without fear), in its causative verb tense it means: to <u>strengthen</u>, <u>cure</u>, <u>help</u>, <u>repair</u> (restore), also to be <u>obstinate</u> (or stubbornly refuse something); and <u>to bind</u>, <u>restrain</u>, <u>conquer</u>.



Those in this group will be strong in faith and have God's wisdom to act on His behalf by giving counsel and instructions in order help restore and repair the faith of others. These strong ones will also be used by God to help cure and strengthen His people. They know their God, and will know how to learn from Him as to what needs to be bound and restrained. He will direct them to bind and restrain according to the situations they will face. They will be more than conquerors, as God's faithful prayer intercessors, possessing the faith

and courage to *stubbornly refuse to yield to or compromise* with any antichrist influence or scheme. These strong ones will have the ability and power do what is needed to serve God's purposes and His people during the very troubling times of great tribulations, that will test and try their faith before the second coming of Jesus Christ.

However, the Prophet Daniel also spoke of another group whose faith will fail them and who will also fall, however, their fall will be for the purpose of becoming qualified to be part of a company known as the sanctified Saints of God who will receive their inheritance and rule and reign with Christ in His earthly kingdom, at the time of the end when Jesus returns to earth.

This group are also said to be **WISE.** Their faith will be purified because their "wisdom will need to be purified"—for they have a deadly mixture God's Wisdom and the worlds wisdom, thereby (unknowingly) receiving lies and doubts from false teachings and from worldly carnal cultural influences that have been embraced that are contrary to God's Word and Wisdom. When this is the case, these WISE ones need to be cleansed of confusing mixture that causes them to waver and be double minded. Because of mixture there will be healing and deliverance issues that need to be dealt with. In any case, these WISE ones are ordained of God to become sanctified and cleansed of all mixture. So, thank God when you walk through fiery trials and troubles! You are one of the chosen ones God wants to purify and qualify as one of His saints...

(Daniel 11:35) Some of those who are <u>WISE</u> shall fall, <u>to refine</u> them, and to purify, and to make them white, even to the time of the end; because it is yet for the time appointed. WEB

 (1 Peter 4:12-13 Beloved, do not be surprised at the painful trials you are suffering, as though something strange were happening to you... indeed there is anointed communication in suffering, and when it becomes clearly revealed, you will have great joy (i.e. which strengthens you). ALT

The Prophet Daniel had God's wisdom and was known for his WISDOM among those who did not KNOW God. He and his three companions stood head and shoulders above all the other WISEMEN in that earthly kingdom.

(Daniel 1:17, 20) To these four young men God gave knowledge and understanding of all kinds of literature and learning. And Daniel could understand visions and dreams of all kinds... In every matter of wisdom and understanding about which the king questioned them, he found them ten times better than all the magicians and enchanters in his whole kingdom. NIV

However, even though Daniel and his companions did KNOW God, they still had to go through their "baptism of Fire" in order to have God's wisdom deliver them from evil. Daniel faced his time of testing in the lion's den and his companions faced their time when an ungodly ruler demanded they bow to his ungodly demands to serve false gods. During that time of testing by fire, they were not alone, for Wisdom Himself was continually with them! They remained strong and uncompromising, and their faith was sustained and delivered them. They are truly an example of how God's Saints will prevail over all of the power of the enemy in these end times of great tribulations and trials that God's people will be facing. The Bible's account of the fiery furnace experience In the book of Daniel, of those who knew God and stood strong, was preserved in Scripture, especially to encourage those of us who will go through our "fire of baptism" or times of great trials on this earth. We must, in order to become sanctified and qualified tried and true Saints of God. Scripture is clear that ALL unrepentant people, as well as all born again people, who do not go on to become sanctified, will FALL and yield to worldly demonic wisdom. This puts them on the Broad Road to destruction that leads to their baptism of fire, in the Lake of Fire. It is there God will deal with them as they undergo a time of purifying and purging.

They will enter into the Kingdom of God's New Heavens and New earth, but through the Broad Gate, from off the broad road, at the <u>final restoration of all things</u>⁸. (Philippians 2:10-11) That at the name of Jesus <u>every knee shall bow</u>, in heaven and on earth and under the earth and <u>every tongue confess</u> that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. Only those few who did endure their "Baptism of fire" (sanctification) while alive on earth, will enter the Kingdom of God through the "Narrow Gate" as God's immortal Saints, immediately upon their leaving this earth, to be with the Lord forever. Those who endure to the end, are the true Saints of God, who like Daniel... endure their baptism of fire, as he did in the lions den, and as did his three companions, who survived their baptism of fire as described here...

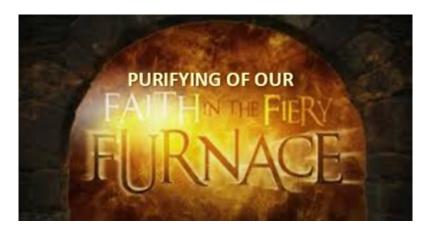
• (Daniel 3:4-8,12,14,17,23,25-26)...listen to the royal command! ...bow to the ground to worship King Nebuchadnezzar's gold statue... Anyone who refuses to obey will immediately be thrown into a blazing furnace." ...all the people, whatever their race or nation or language, bowed to the ground and worshiped the gold statue that King Nebuchadnezzar had set up (i.e. the "Broad Road")

people) ... But some of the WISEMEN went to the king and informed on the Jews... saying, "These refuse to serve your gods and do not worship..." Nebuchadnezzar said to them, "Is it true, Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego, that you refuse to serve my gods... (They answered): If we are thrown into the blazing furnace, the God whom we serve is able to save us (i.e. literally means "rescue and restore). He will rescue us from your power ... So Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego, securely tied. fell into theroaring flames... Nebuchadnezzar shouted, "I see four men, unbound, walking around in the fire unharmed! (i.e. the baptism of fire sets us free from our bondages and all that would harm us!) And the fourth looks like a god!" ...Then Nebuchadnezzar said, "Praise to the God of Shadrach—Meshach—Abednego! He sent his angel to rescue his servants who trusted in him. They defied the king's command and were willing to die rather than serve or worship any god except their own God.

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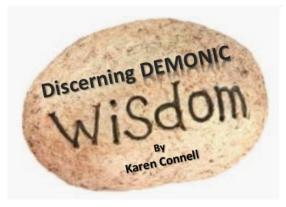
Are YOU and those you love REALLY READY...

to do the same?



⁷See our FREE ...DVD offer entitled: What is the Broad Road of Destruction?

⁸ For information on the doctrine of "apokatastasis" request a *FREE* copy the <u>APOKATASTASIS Watchman Report</u>, offered FREE of charge in this Newsletter, examines what the Scriptures teach regarding the "restoration of all things" as mentioned in (Luke 3:6) And all flesh shall see the salvation of God. Or as in (Acts 3:21) He (Jesus) must remain in heaven until the time comes for God to restore everything...



Twisting the truth to make yourselves sound wise isn't wisdom... It's the furthest thing from wisdom — it's cunning and devilish.

(James 3:14-15)

TMB

I recently watched a video of a very popular and cunning NAR "minister" preach a "revival" message, in which he was encouraging those in his audience to "stop seeing themselves as UNWORTHY." I would venture to say that most in that meeting would probably profess to being *believers* in Jesus Christ, but then again, so are the demons... **Even the demons believe** — and tremble! (James 2:19).

As the altar call at the end of his message revealed, there were many, if not the majority in the crowd, who came forward for deliverance, because they were bound by addictions to various sins. I was so disgusted and at the same time *heartbroken* because of how easily these Biblically ignorant, seduced, deceived and desperate (mostly) young people were being manipulated by one of Satan's "servants of righteousness!"

(2 Corinthians 11:13-15) For such men are false apostles, deceitful workers, masquerading as Christ's apostles. And no wonder, for even Satan masquerades as an angel of light. It is no great thing therefore that his ministers also masquerade as servants of righteousness... WEB

This minister demonstrated what I have personally witnessed in many Charismatic/NAR (New Apostolic Reformation) meetings throughout my former 30+ years of being immersed in these movements, which promote heretical false teachings. A common practice, used by false preachers and teachers, to promote their doctrines of demons, is to use a *TEXT* that is taken out of *CONTEXT* to promote their *PRETEXT*. A pretext, is reasoning used to justify a FALSE PREMISE.

Misuse of the Scriptures

At one point in his message, amidst loud shouts and a standing ovation, this man said the following:

"This is the third time I have been hearing this in my spirit, and I know when God is speaking to me," (NOTE: always remember, WHAT WE

HEAR IN OUR SPIRIT "FROM GOD" WILL NEVER CONTRADIT THE BIBLE). He went on to say, God was telling him that if..." Any person (in that meeting) who wants to be set free from ANY KIND of an addiction... (God



says) ...you're saved—you're on your way to heaven—BUT there is an addiction (i.e. sin) that has a grip on you—but the Lord says, tell them, "they don't have to work up the will power—if they'll just point (?) to me l'Il set them free."

The reason he stated, "point to Jesus" is because he spent much time previously telling the crowd that the reason the Pharisees could not receive eternal life from Jesus, was

because they judged themselves as being unworthy. His claim was, when those in the crowd judge themselves as being unworthy (i.e. alluding to the addiction that has a grip on them), they become like the Pharisees and cannot receive the freedom Jesus died to give them. This claim was based on two Scripture texts he quoted, which were taken out of context and used as a pretext to justify his good sounding but false claims. A pretext is the use of false reasoning to justification of a course of action or a claim. Following are the two texts that were used out of context:

(Acts 13:46) ...It was necessary that the word of God should first have been spoken to you (i.e. the Jewish pharisees): but seeing ye put it (the gospel) from you, <u>and judge yourselves unworthy of everlasting life</u>, lo, we turn to the Gentiles.

Excuse me! The Pharisees were not judging or seeing themselves as being too "unworthy" to receive eternal life... They most certainly did not have a "worthiness" problem, according to the Bible, they thought *too highly* of themselves. On the contrary they saw Jesus and His gospel message as being unworthy and not worth believing. Thus, they brought judgment down upon themselves due to their unbelief and were deemed unworthy *by God* to receive His gift of eternal life! The *context* has nothing to do with the Pharisees struggling with feeling unworthy, to receive what Jesus Christ died to give them! Which is what this false minister was alluding to for those feeling condemned because of their addictions.

This minister also used the following verses from the book of Revelation, as a premise for saying, *Jesus is worthy, because He died on the cross (i.e. and implying because of this we are now automatically forgiven*). His premise is a distortion of the truth, yes, Jesus died so we can now be forgiven, BUT the conditions for the *promise of forgiveness*, need to be met! These conditions were never once mentioned. Also please notice how *receiving forgiveness* has

nothing to do with the *context* for the text being used for his (implied) premise that: Jesus is worthy because He died on the cross so we are now forgiven. Instead the context and premise for the text is the fact that Jesus is the ONLY one who is WORTHY to release punishing judgments upon those who refuse to repent. For it was He who died so the unrepentant who were willing to repent... could repent. Therefore He was judged worthy to release judgments upon the unrepentant who refused to repent, by opening the seven judgment seals.

(Revelation 5:2-3, 9-10) "Who is worthy to open the scroll and to loose its seals?" ...And no one in heaven or on the earth or under the earth was able to open the scroll, or to look at it... And they sang a new song, saying: "You are worthy to take the scroll, And to open its seals; For You were slain, And have redeemed us to God by Your blood Out of every tribe and tongue and people and nation... And have made us kings and priests to our God; And we shall reign on the earth.

He went on to tell the crowd, that "God will NEVER define you by your worst MISTAKE... people will, religion will and haters will — but God won't" — He will never see you as a failure just because you fail, (what he was again "Implying" was: God will never define you as sinner even by your worst sin)... that is what the cross is all about — forgiveness... that can rewrite your future."



He then shouted, if you believe He is worthy... just "point to Him" and receive His forgiveness and just worship Him! He then told the crowd to "point to Jesus" and shout, "You are worthy Jesus" and just worship Him. At that point the crowd began pointing upward and chanting "You are worthy Jesus" ...over and over again, while breaking out in wild "worship."

Helloooo...We Don't Receive Forgiveness by Chanting and Pointing to Jesus!

Not one time were the words *repentance or sin* ever mentioned during that entire meeting. These people were given the false message through his repeated and cunning "implications" that all they had to do was, "believe Jesus is WORTHY and just point to Him and receive His forgiveness by believing He died on the cross for their sin." I want to point out that Satan's WISE ministers, masquerading as "servants of righteousness" are very skilled at using *implications*¹ as a form of mind control! What is being

¹ <u>implications</u> To strongly suggest the truth or existence of something not out rightly or expressly stated. Source: Online Dictionary

"implied" is a subliminal message. Due to this man's ability to use lying implications, those in that crowd shouted their approval and applauded this demonic wisdom.

I am sorry, but what he was implying as far as their problem being that of seeing themselves as unworthy was NOT their real problem. Their real problem was rebellion against God which opens the door to sorcery (drug use). When we practice sin, God DOES see us as sinners (i.e. failures... we fail to meet His standard of holiness).

Many left that meeting **believing a lie** concerning sin and their addictions to sin. For they were never told that in order to be forgiven we must first **be honest that we are sinners** (failures) and **CONFESS our sin to God** so it will be forgiven, when we truly REPENT and are BAPTIZED.

- (Acts 2:38) Peter said to them, "Repent, and be baptized, everyone of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of sins... WEB. So that...
- (1 John 1:9) If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

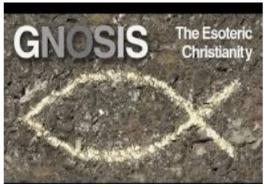
About his false premise that God does not see people as failures when they make "mistakes"... mistakes are *unintentional* wrongs, but choosing to use drugs, porn or booze etc. and having it become an addiction, is no mistake! the Bible defines it It as the sin of rebellion against God and His truth, opening the door to lust from the influence of a spirit of sorcery.

When an alter call was given for those who were willing to "believe Jesus was worthy," so they could receive forgiveness, healing and deliverance ... hundreds responded! It would not surprise me a bit to find out people actually did get healed, and left "feeling" forgiven and free! Satan's lying signs and wonders are for the purpose of reinforcing the credibility of the false minister and worst of all it reinforces the "implied" lies they receive. That is how lying signs and wonders work under the spirit of sorcery, through ministers like the man I was watching. I have seen, what I am describing take place in similar meetings all over the world.

(2 Thessalonians 2:9-12) ... Satan with counterfeit power and signs and miracles... will use every kind of evil deception to fool those on their way to destruction, because they <u>refuse to love and accept the</u> (whole) <u>truth</u> that would save them... So God will cause them to be greatly deceived, and they will believe these lies (i.e. disguised as half truths) ... Then they will be condemned for enjoying evil rather than believing the (whole) truth. NLT (Parenthesis mine).

⁹For more information on *Sorcery in the Church*, I suggest reading my book ANATOMY FOR DECEPTION, Chapter 6, starting on Page 159. You may order a FREE copy of this book or read it on line at this link: https://extendedlifectm.files.wordpress.com/ 2020/02/anatomy_for_deceptio_interior_july_2014.pdf

As I was listening to this man's message in the beginning, this thought entered my mind (soul), "these poor people are living under so much condemnation because of their addiction and this message is taking the condemnation off of these poor people, how wonderful!"



Wonderful!? Mmm... Where did that thought come Immediately, I was aware of the clever deception that happening. Yes, this "minister" was making people "feel better" about themselves, but it was by misusing God's Word and misapplying His "promised truths. To do it. Those listening to him, may not have understood or chose to ignore the truth that there are "conditions" attached to

every promise of God, and believe me the promises were flowing like wine, intoxicating those who had dull or blinded minds. Preaching God's promises without pointing out the conditions required for receiving them, is only and half truth, which is no truth at all! He was targeting with his message, sinners filled with condemnation, and was relieving their guilt through his intoxicating mixed cocktail of truth and lies. The Bible is clear that any leaven (lies) spoils the whole lump (message). Again, this is a very clever deception the enemy is using on those who are either Biblically ignorant or who oppose or ignore the truth of God's Word, in favor of embracing their favorite WISEMAN who tickles their ears and makes the FEEL good.

Gnosticism: Satan's Counterfeit Wisdom

The reason this kind of deception has infected so many in these endtimes is due to modern day **Gnosticism** that has entered the end time **apostate church**. It emphasizes *personal* spiritual knowledge (gnosis) based on *spiritual experiences* (sorcery), over and above and in place of receiving genuine Holy Spirit revealed Biblical authoritative truth.

Those deceived by this brand of **Gnosticism** consider the principal element for salvation from sin, to be the receiving of **personal revelation knowledge** from God, by **experiencing** "intuitive" (i.e. instant knowledge or spiritual insights) based on **feelings** rather than justifiable Biblical truth. These intuitive insights are supposedly given only to a chosen few (i.e. seen as really spiritual people) who can interpret their "revelation knowledge" (i.e. seducing sorcery thoughts) and share it (or rather sell it) to their followers.

Those, like this minister I was watching, also go on to justify their private or *personal interpretations* (i.e. thoughts assumed to be from God) by misusing the Scriptures to validate what they say they heard.

That is exactly what the minister I mentioned did, when he said, "This is the third time I have been hearing this in my spirit, and I know when God is speaking to me..." What minsters like this man are hearing are thoughts in their soulish mind that can be from the demonic realm, it is not the Holy Spirit speaking to their spirit. How do I know? Because again, the Holy Spirit does not misuse Scripture! When people say things like, "God told me," or "I heard in my spirit" ...we better be listening with our spirit and not our soulish emotions! Those who can't hear from their spirit are in big trouble!

It became very clear to me what this evangelist was operating in, as I listened to his message. I was seeing an example of *Esoteric Christianity* at its finest! *Esoteric Christianity* is linked with a Greek concept that revolves around something called "Hermetic Corpus." This is a form of *Greek wisdom worship* associated with the god Hermes) that flourished during the Renaissance Period between (1300-1600), when "knowledge began to increase," Just as the prophet Daniel prophesied it would, in the last days.



Only this knowledge that is based upon *feelings* and *human reasoning* is not from God but from seducing spirits producing doctrines of demons. This is how many heretical doctrines entered the church during the Renaissance Period and continue to do the same today.

(Daniel 12:4) But you, Daniel, shut up the words, and seal the book, even to the time of the end: many shall run back and forth (i.e. to meetings and conferences) and knowledge ("Yadah" i.e. wisdom/good and bad) shall be increased." (i.e. the bad leaving its victims spiritually dead in its wake). WEB

(Daniel 11:33-35) 33. And (there will be) teachers of the people (who) give understanding to many (i.e. their personal revelation); but they will stumble by sword, and by flame, by captivity, (as) spoil — (in those) days. 34. Many will waver (doubt) become weak and fall and they will be aided and helped but only for only a short time, for there will be the joining by many to false prophets who seize power through intrigue, flattery and hypocrisy. 35. And some of the teachers who do stumble, it will be for the purpose of refining them, and for purifying, and for making them white — till the end of the time, for [it is] yet for a time appointed. YLT (parenthesis mine for clarity)

"Hermetic Corpus" involved "enlightened teachers," enlightening their followers with their enlightenment. Today this heresy involves a collection of religious or Christian theology which proposes that various spiritual doctrines and practices of Christianity can only be understood by those who

have undergone certain religious or spiritual *experiences* that are coming from another gospel and another spirit (i.e. sorcery) producing mass deception, in massive meetings, so that even the very elect ARE being deceived.

The Jews, during both Jesus and Paul's ministries were involved in this type of heresy, that contained many false Talmud teachings and esoteric Kabbalah occult practices. Both Jesus and Paul addressed this, what they said most certainly applies to what we are facing within multitudes of churches today...

(Matthew 22:29) Jesus replied, "You are deceived because you do not discern, discover or examine what is in the Scriptures, and neither know the supernatural power that is God's. ALT

(1 Corinthians 15:33-34) Paul said: Be not led astray; evil communications corrupt good practices; wake up to what is right, and sin not (i.e. stop speaking and believing error); for certain ones have no knowledge from God; (but plenty from other "gods") for this I say to shame you. ALT (Parenthesis mine for contextual clarity).

The evangelist's message I heard was aimed at those who had "an ADDICTION that had a grip on them." First of all, the word addiction is defined in my online dictionary as: "To be physically and mentally (i.e. carnally) dependent upon something, and unable to stop depending upon it without incurring (physical or mental) adverse or painful effects." This is simply the Bible' and God's definition for the sin of IDOLATRY!

When we become DEPENDENT upon ANYTHING or ANYONE for our mental, emotional or physical <u>support or well being</u>, that which we turn to becomes our idol or a false god. This is not to say that God does not use people or things to help and support us, for He most assuredly does. What God chooses, supports and strengthens us, so we can stop sinning. On the other hand what our carnal man chooses does not support us it enables us to keep on sinning.

Our carnal man wants pleasure, ease and comfort and above all wants to avoid the pain and humiliation of having to being honest and take responsibility for our sin. Rationalizing away unrepentant and willful sin by saying things like, "we all make "mistakes" and we all have our "issues" (i.e. like addiction)... After all, no one is perfect... we're all just human" etc., etc. These prideful rationalizations only mask or suppresses our sin, shame and guilt, when we embrace these lies, and enable us to silence our conscience, so, we won't feel condemned or God forbid, make anyone else feel condemned by using the word "SIN." But this suppressed (unconfessed) "leaven" (sin) will only grow and defile our whole being, if it is not exposed. Deception blinds and makes us numb and insensitive to God's Holy Spirit, opening the door for "another spirit" to deceive us, through a messenger of light, preaching what "sounds and feels" right, or good, convincing us that we are saved and on our way to heaven... despite being an unrepentant sinner! Addiction is not a mistake, it is not a "disease" as the

world defines this sin, but it is a willful choice to sin through self-gratification, rather than choosing to please and honor God. He "labels" those making this choice as **idolatrous** adulterers, thus proving God does label people according to their deeds, contrary to what this evangelist said. God says this regarding the label he puts on these people:

(James 4:3-5) ...you want only what pleases you... You are adulterers! ...If you want to be a <u>friend of the world</u>, you set yourself in opposition to God ...What do you think the Scriptures mean when they say that God longs jealously for the human spirit he has placed within us? ALT

(Hebrews 10:26-27) Dear friends, if we deliberately continue sinning after we have received knowledge of the truth, there is no longer any sacrifice that will cover these sins (i.e. referring to the blood of Jesus) ... what is formidable and results in the expectation to receive from God His judgment (i.e. referring to the great white throne) and **God's fiery passion** (i.e. reference to the Lake of Fire) **that will consume all that** opposes God (i.e. sin) . ALT

This minister, and multitudes like him, embrace the heretical "Word of Faith" theology, in one form or another, which has spread like a cancer among the majority of evangelical, and mainline denominational churches. Their messages *imply* that all who claim to be born again are automatically saved, because all sin has been taken care of, by "faith" in the blood of Jesus, but not just implying, also teaching Christians are not to have a "sin consciousness" and if we do, we just don't have enough "faith" in the blood sacrifice of Jesus. These kinds of messages and messengers are the result of being under the influence, power and wisdom of this world and its god, Satan. He has planted his tares (apostates) among the wheat (true sanctified believers). The tares will suffer burning (in the Lake of Fire), but those having God's wisdom will be harvested to find their place in His barn (i.e. Kingdom) when they are taken out of this World.

(Matthew 13:30) Let both (i.e. tares and wheat) grow together until the harvest, and at the time of harvest I will say to the reapers, "First gather together the tares and bind them in bundles to burn them, but gather the wheat into my barn (i.e. God's Kingdom).

I pray this message will challenge you to pray that you have ears to hear what your favorite "ministers" are really saying and teaching. The majority of "wheat" ministers won't be well known or have a huge following, but you will know them according to their anointed Words of God's Wisdom. We live in desperately deceptive times! Christianity has been thoroughly invaded by the "Angel of Light" and his "ministers of righteousness who minister to the big crowds in the big churches raking in big bucks WORLD WIDE. I leave you with the farewell address of our beloved Apostle Paul...

(Acts 20:29-32) For I know that after my departure, vicious wolves will enter in among you, not sparing the flock... Men will arise from among your own selves, speaking perverse things, to draw away the disciples after them... Therefore watch, remembering that for a period of three years I didn't cease to admonish everyone night and day with tears... Now, brothers, I entrust you to God, and to the word of his grace, which is able to build up, and to give you the inheritance among. all those who are sanctified. WEB Amen!

Brace Yourselves For The 'Crackdown

- How Long Till We Begin Witnessing Troops On The Streets Of America?

Karen Connell

We hope that all of our readers are preparing themselves for what is coming because if President Trump and the US are forced to follow a 'similar battle plan' as the UK and China here in the US to contain the spread of the viruses, as more and more people start collapsing in the streets, nothing may ever be 'normal' again.



On March 4th a New York Emergency Room Doctor said, "There Will Be "Thousands" Of Confirmed Cases In The U.S. "By Next Week."

As the number of those infected with Covid-19 Coronavirus has rapidly risen- one virus-ravaged Washington county warned ALL of its 2.2 million residents to stay at home.

A coronavirus infected lawyer in New York who used public transportation to get into work via Grand Central Station possibly exposing an unlimited number of people to the virus, including passing on the infection to his wife, son, daughter and a neighbor in New York according to a new *Daily Mail* story.

How are people going to be able to pay their bills if they're unable to go to work? And how is food going to be produced and packaged if people are unable to work?

With panic shopping already happening across America and the world, as the virus fully arrives, what happens when everything grinds to a halt? With FEMA now preparing for the declaration of a coronavirus emergency, this means we will be placed under Medical Martial law (enacted by Obama) will soon be in affect in America and as you may or may not know that means we are in BIG trouble. Also, medical professionals are still not completely understanding this disease, adding to the panic among the masses .

Steve Quayle, on his 2/21/20 Q File report, shared information from a funeral home in Indiana that stated there were not enough funeral homes to take care of all the bodies that were piling up. These are not the kind of reports people want to hear, but it is time to face the reality of the times we have entered. The good news is however, <u>IF</u> you know your God and <u>IF</u> you commune with Him, the promise is you are hid under the protective shadow of your Almighty God, which means...

Because you have made the Lord... Even the Most High, your dwelling place ...No evil shall befall you, Nor shall any plague come near your dwelling... For He shall give His angels charge over you, To keep you in all your ways. —Psalm 91:9-11

Have Courage, Share God's Truth, Do Not Let the Enemy Intimidate You, It's Time for God's Warriors to Do Battle

Stevie Ray Hansen

"The Lord will cause your enemies who rise against you to be defeated before your face; they shall come out against you one way and flee before you seven ways."—Deuteronomy 28:7

Every Christian needs to know how to battle evil. God gives us detailed instructions on how to do this. The bible speaks of King David's mighty army in (1 Chronicles 12:8). Some of them were Gadites who the Bible describes as men of valor, men trained for battle, who could handle shield and spear, whose faces were like the faces of lions, and were as swift as gazelles on the mountains. The Lord showed me this scripture as an analogy of His end-time army. His end-time army is called to great exploits and will march together as one.

The Lord says, "I am raising up an end-time Army who are strong and very courageous. I am looking for men and women of valor. They are those who are bold, and defiant in battle. As you stand immovable and refuse to be intimidated, I will cause your enemies who rise up against you to be defeated before you; and they will come out against you one way and will flee before you seven. I am calling forth the warriors who will never retreat when the adversary comes against them because I have trained their hands for war and their fingers for battle. To those who I place on the front lines are those who are able to stand against the warfare and to them, I will reveal the secrets from the kingdom of darkness and expose their strategies. My warriors will recognize that it is not flesh and blood that they are battling against but of powers, principalities, rulers of darkness and wickedness in high places. They are highly experienced and skilled in the performance of their duties and they know their mission. They are those who understand the significance of wearing the full armor of God. They know their rank and are submitted to their authority, therefore, they stay in the position to which they were assigned.

I am looking for those who are bold and ready to face challenges, tenacious in spiritual warfare, alert and watchful of the enemy. They are those whose faces are like the faces of lions. Those who see them recognize the strength and determination that they carry. Their enemies see the tenacity inside of them, therefore they cower back in fear. They do not become discouraged and will never compromise. They are as fierce lions against the kingdom of darkness and they will stand immovable in the face of adversity. They are as swift as gazelles on the mountains, mobile, active men and women, ready to fight wherever and whenever they were needed. They will watch out for one another and be careful to avoid friendly fire. Those who enlist in My end-time army will never have to be concerned with the wiles of the evil one because they know that I am standing with them at all times. My end-time army emerges, I will give them the wisdom, discernment, and understanding as I reveal and My strategies for the days ahead, says the Lord."

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